

20 April 1954

INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in Director's
Conference Room, Administration Building
Central Intelligence Agency, on 20 April 1954

Director of Central Intelligence
Allen W. Dulles
Presiding

MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. Fisher Howe, acting for Special Assistant for Intelligence,
Department of State
Brigadier General John M. Willems, acting for Assistant Chief of Staff,
G-2, Department of the Army
Rear Admiral Carl F. Espe, Director of Naval Intelligence,
Department of the Navy
Brigadier General Millard Lewis, acting for Director of Intelligence,
Headquarters, United States Air Force
Rear Admiral Edward T. Layton, acting for Deputy Director for
Intelligence, the Joint Staff
Dr. Charles H. Reichardt, Atomic Energy Commission
Representative to the IAC
Mr. Victor P. Keay, acting for Assistant to the Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation

ALSO PRESENT

25X1 Mr. Robert Amory, Jr., Central Intelligence Agency
[redacted] Central Intelligence Agency
Dr. H. Marshall Chadwell, Central Intelligence Agency
[redacted] Central Intelligence Agency
[redacted] Central Intelligence Agency
25X1 [redacted] Central Intelligence Agency
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*Mr. Henry D. Owen, Department of State
Mr. R. M. Scammon, Department of State
Lt. Colonel Vasco J. Fenili, Department of the Army
Lt. Colonel H. N. Maples, Department of the Army

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Captain Allan L. Reed, USN, Department of the Navy
Mr. Lawrence Healey, Department of the Navy
Colonel Donald H. Ainsworth, United States Air Force
Colonel Charles F. Gillis, United States Air Force
Mr. Donald F. Benjamin, United States Air Force
Mr. John A. Power, United States Air Force
Captain Ray E. Malpass, USN, The Joint Staff
Colonel F. R. Moore, The Joint Staff

Secretary

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Approval of Minutes of 30 March
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1. Action: Approved.

Approval of Minutes of 5 April
(IAC-M-147)

2. Action: Approved, subject to substitution of Admiral Layton for Colonel Lansing as acting for the Deputy Director for Intelligence, The Joint Staff.

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Probable Outlook in Western Europe
Over the Next Decade
(NIE 20-54)

4. Action: Approved as amended.

Adjustment in NIE Program
(Memo to IAC from Board of
National Estimates, 13 April)

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5. Action: Agreed (a) to defer the production of NIE 43-54, "Probable Developments in Taiwan," from the second quarter of 1954 to the third quarter; (b) to advance the production of [] from the third quarter to late second quarter or early third quarter, making the deadline for departmental contributions 1 June unless before then State feels developments [] require reexamination of the usefulness of that date.

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Matters for NSC Briefing

7. The Director pointed out that the Council is not scheduled to meet this week but will next week, whereas the IAC is not scheduled to meet next week. Various members commented on the situation in Indochina.

Secretary's Note:

1. All agencies having concurred in the proposed release of certain NIS elements to OCB (IAC-D-45/54), these NIS elements were released on 12 April 1954.

2. The Board of National Estimates has recommended the non-release to any foreign government of (Memo to IAC dated 8 April 1954), and NIE 20-54 (Memo to IAC dated 19 April 1954). These proposals will not be reconsidered except upon request by a member agency.

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